

Nall, Susan SPK

From: Travis Morse [morsewt@gmail.com]
Sent: Monday, September 26, 2011 11:20 AM
To: Nall, Susan SPK
Subject: Re: Q on East Inlet of Grand Lake violation - Biancos

Hi Sue,

The Corps has a file from 1991 that shows the Biancos have familiarity with the regulatory program and in the Corps ENF Memo, I made the determination that the Corps must refer to EPA. Claffey was the PM. I asked Claffey about the Biancos and he did not remember them.

I did read the response from Aleta Powers of ERO. I believe that ERO's proposed resolution is reasonable. They proposed full restoration of the wetland impacts, to include planting and seeding the area and they asked for ATF verification of the streambank stabilization work. ATF approval will likely require a bit more work; however, it does look like something the Corps would have permitted had the Biancos submitted a PCN.

If you would like to discuss, please give me a call. I am in office today save for a two-hour block from 1:30 to 3:30.

Travis

On 9/24/11, Nall, Susan SPK <Susan.Nall@usace.army.mil> wrote:

> Whatever works for you. We can talk Monday too.

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> -----Original Message-----

> From: Travis Morse [<mailto:morsewt@gmail.com>]

> Sent: Thursday, September 22, 2011 4:59 PM

> To: Nall, Susan SPK

> Subject: Re: Q on East Inlet of Grand Lake violation - Biancos

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> Hi Sue, can we discuss via telephone tomorrow AM? I have a meeting in
> silverthorne at 10. Otherwise I can email you a response this weekend.

> Travis

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> Sent from my iPhone

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> On Sep 22, 2011, at 2:36 PM, "Nall, Susan SPK"

> <Susan.Nall@usace.army.mil>

> wrote:

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>> Hey Travis - getting calls from neighbors on status of this action.

>> So I pulled file. We issued Notice of Viol in mid July w/MFR saying

>> we need to refer to EPA. ERO responded for Bianco's in mid-August.

>> Do you recollect reading through the response? The report has yellow
>> highlights in it which I'm assuming you did.

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>> Did you have a recommendation - keep or refer to EPA?

>> When violations are repeat, we must give EPA first right of refusal,

>> but doesn't look like that was done. The report has been sitting and

>> I missed that this needed attention.

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>> the environment
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>> knowledge base
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>> activities
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